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For: OPTICAL DEFLECTOR AND OPTICAL SWITCH

**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF  
PRIORITY DOCUMENT(S)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: November 22, 2004

Dear Sir:

The undersigned respectfully requests acknowledgment of receipt of the priority document for the above-identified application.

The priority document was filed on February 26, 2002. As evidence of that filing, we enclose a copy of our transmittal letter of February 26, 2002 and a copy of the cover sheet of the priority document.

In the event any fees are required in connection with this request, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed as indicated  
in connection with the above-identified case.

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**CLAIM FOR PRIORITY UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

February 26, 2002

Sir:

The benefit of the filing dates of the following prior foreign applications are hereby requested for the above-identified application, and the priority provided in 35 U.S.C. 119 is hereby claimed:

**Japanese Appln. No. 2001-293761, filed September 26, 2001**

In support of this claim, the requisite certified copy of said original foreign application is filed herewith.

It is requested that the file of this application be marked to indicate that the applicants have complied with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 119 and that the Patent and Trademark Office kindly acknowledge receipt of said certified copy.

In the event that any fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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This is to certify that the annexed is a true copy of the following application as filed  
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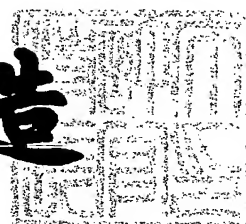
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